

First Steps With the Corporate Presenter Training Guideline

ZF Friedrichshafen AG

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Introduction

This document will assist you in creating your first PowerPoint presentation with the Corporate Presenter. The guideline will take you through the various functions of the add-on software step by step and will provide you with an initial overview.

The Corporate Presenter enables you to quickly create professional presentations by using numerous pre-formatted slide designs, diagrams, elements, images, and slide archives of your company and to archive them for future reuse.

All slides in the Corporate Presenter have been optimized for minimum processing times and are approved by the Corporate Design of ZF Friedrichshafen AG.

Note: The Corporate Presenter is an add-in. This means that the additional functions will be available as a new toolbar. You

can still use the standard MS PowerPoint functions without any restrictions.

Corporate Presenter Installation

The Corporate Presenter will be installed automatically on your computer by a Matrix42 package. This will not affect the standard MS PowerPoint functions.

Further information is available under the Corporate Presenter "Help" menu item and on the POS project Intranet page http://www.zf-world.com/POS EN/



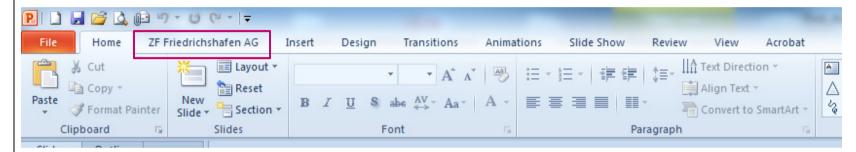
The following information material is available:

- Corporate Presenter user manual / quick guide
- Corporate guidelines for PowerPoint
- Interactive help modules
- First steps with the Corporate Presenter Training Guideline

The POS project team hopes that you will enjoy working with the Corporate Presenter.

General – PowerPoint Master System (Corporate Presenter)

1.1 Once the Corporate Presenter add-in software has been installed on your computer, the additional "ZF Friedrichshafen AG" tab will appear in the main navigation toolbar.



Click on the "ZF Friedrichshafen AG" tab. You will proceed to the Corporate Presenter menu area.

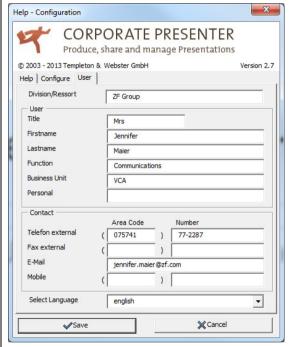


The following buttons should be available.

If buttons are missing, you can additionally display them via the Help → Settings function.

- New - Insert
- Edit - Design-Check
- Refresh - Minimize
- Publish - Handout
- HTML - Update
- Work with Archive - Help

The following screen appears when logging on for the first time. Please enter your data into this screen. The Corporate Presenter will remember this data and automatically complete title pages, footers, etc. If you did not enter your data on this screen when starting the Corporate Presenter for the first time, you can do this at a later date or modify your data via the "Help" button.





Create and Edit a new Presentation

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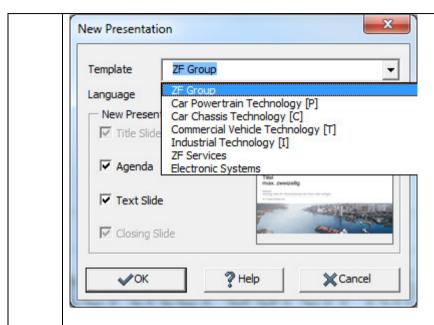
Please click on the "New" button in the menu bar.

The following screen opens:



You can select different title slides for the divisions and business units under "Template".

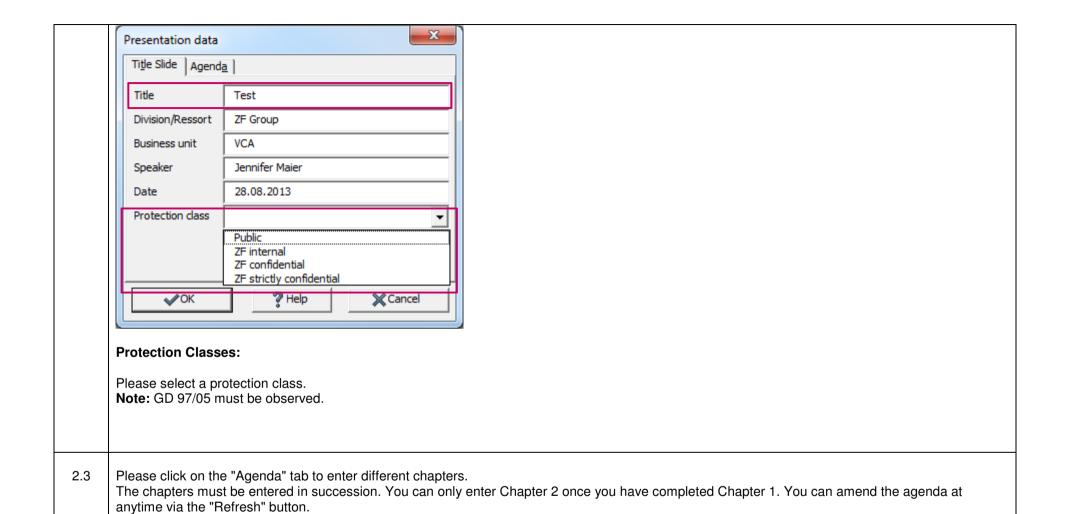
You can determine whether you wish to integrate a table of contents (agenda) and a text slide into your presentation by clicking on the "Agenda" and "Text Slide" boxes.

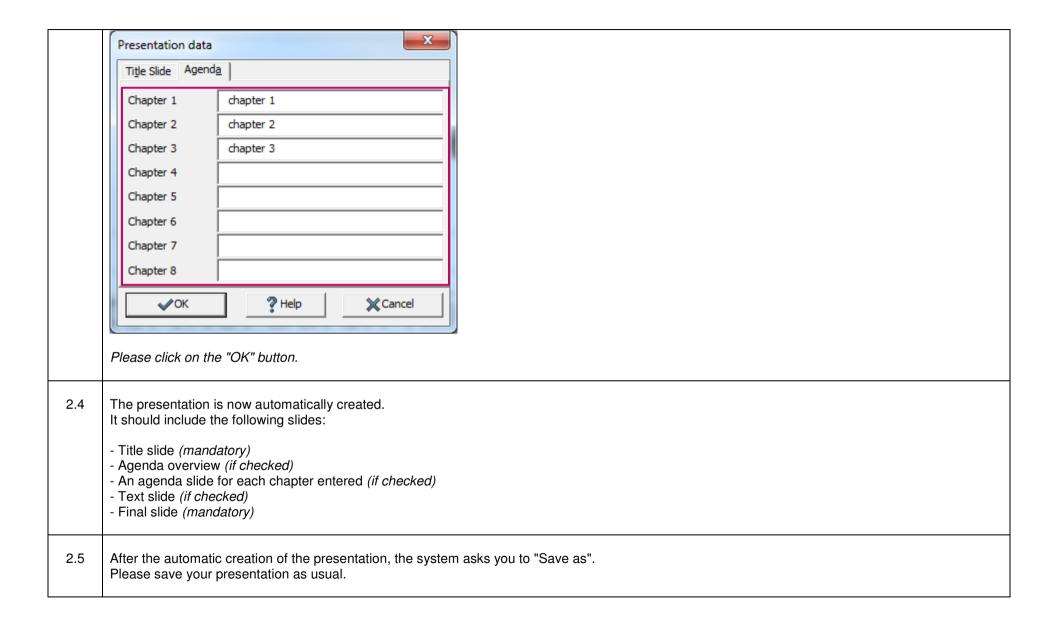


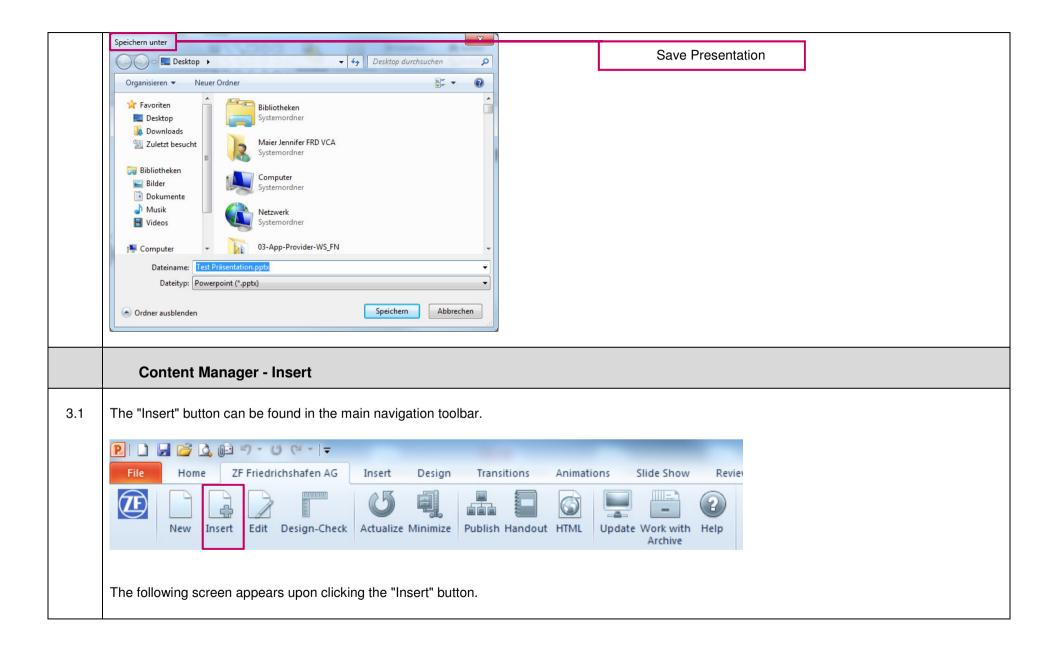
Please click on the "OK" button to create the presentation.

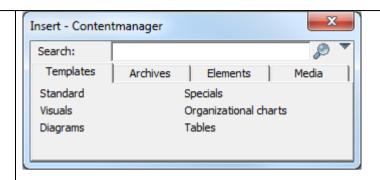
2.2 The shown screen now appears. You can now manually enter the presentation title.

The Title, Division/Corporate Function, Business Unit, Speaker, Date fields have already been automatically completed (requirement: you have already entered and saved the data).

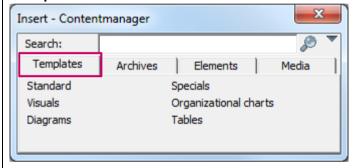








"Templates" Tab

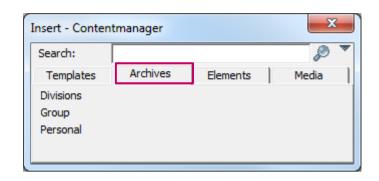


This tab contains slides that can be inserted directly into the presentation.

- → Standard: You can find the general ZF slide master templates. You can enter them directly into your presentation as a slide by clicking on the arrow.
- → Visuals: Previously-created slides for various topics are available under Visuals.
- → **Diagrams**: You can choose between various diagrams and integrate them into your presentation as a slide.
- → Specials: More unusual slide layouts
- → Organizational charts: Templates that assist you in creating organizational charts.
- → **Tables**: Several tables can be inserted into the presentation.

"Archives" Tab

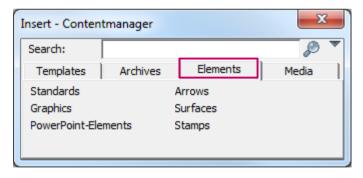
The Corporate Presenter differentiates between divisional archives (for the divisions), group archives (share function within a particular group), and your personal archive. You can access your slides at any time via this tab. Please note that a maximum of 100 slides/user can be saved in the Personal Archive.

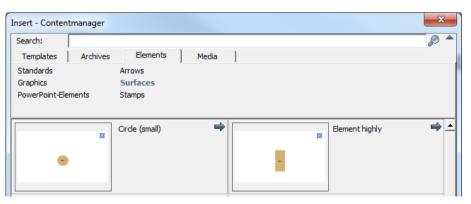


"Elements" Tab

Here, you can find elements that conform with the Corporate Design which you can insert into previously-created slides in your presentation.

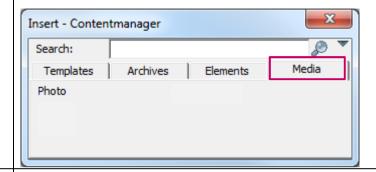
- → Standards
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- → PowerPoint-Elements
- → Arrows
- → Surfaces
- → Stamps



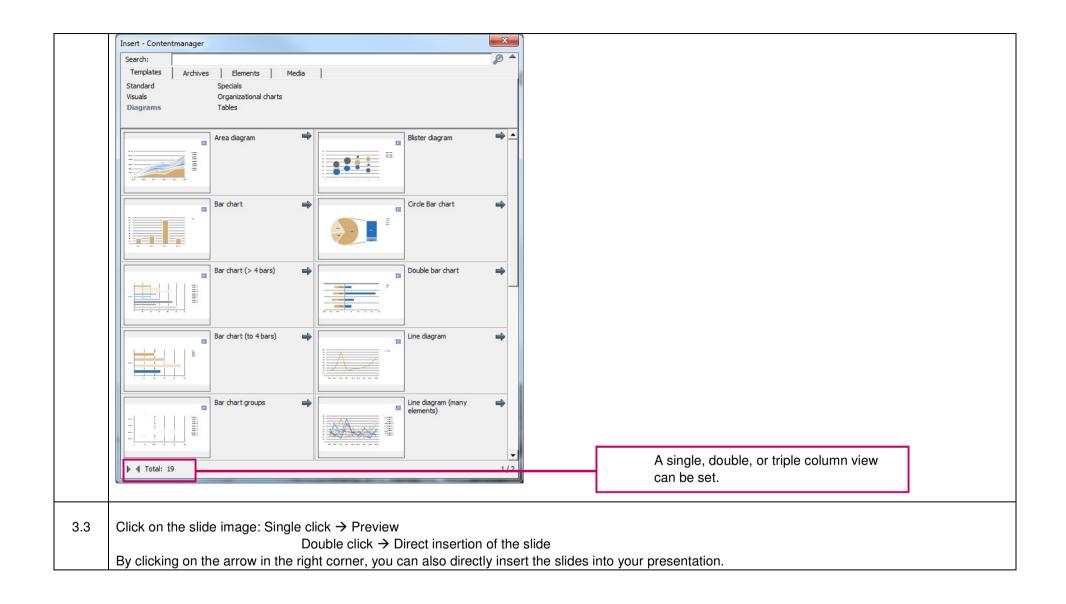


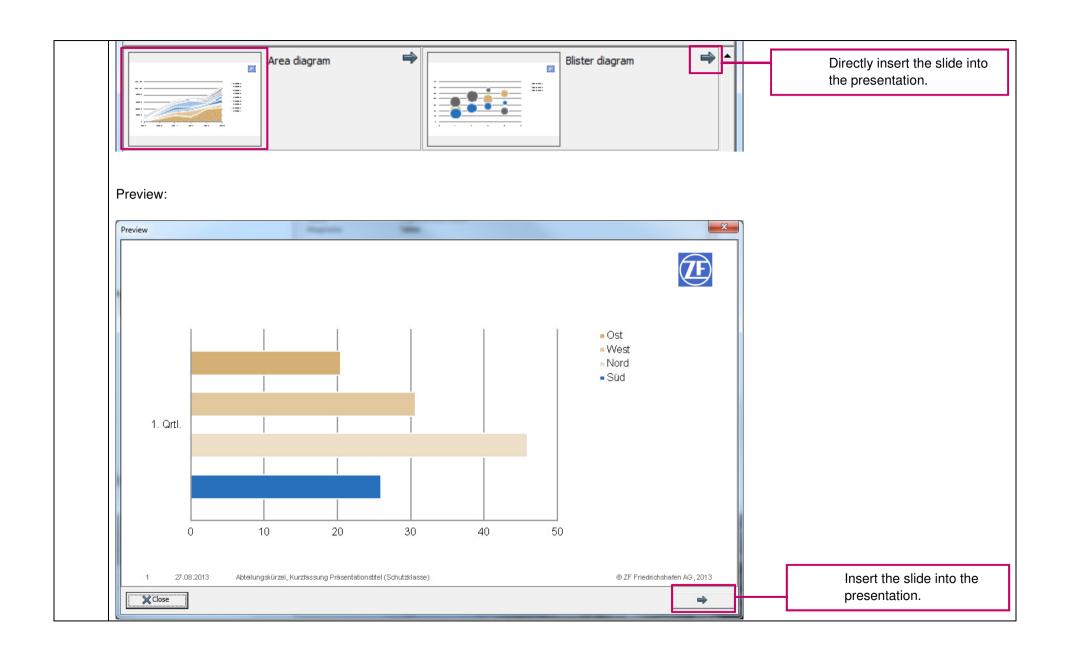
"Media" Tab

→ Images: ZF system visualizations that can be directly inserted into the presentation are available here.

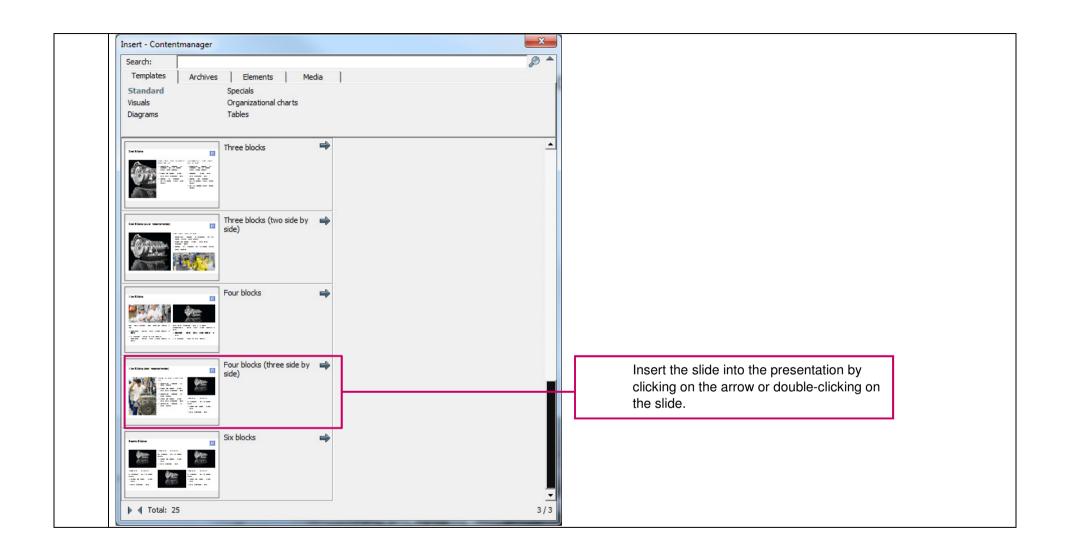


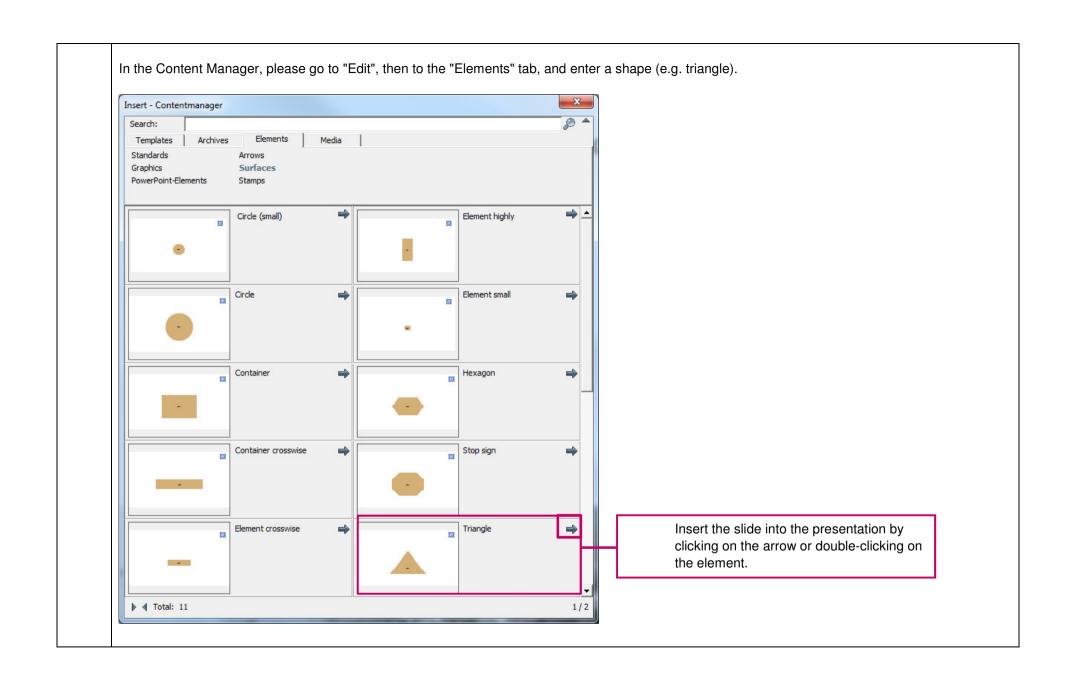
3.2 Please click on Insert → Diagrams. The following screen is displayed.





3.4	Please take the following path: Templates → Organizational Charts → "Organizational Chart 3 Columns" and select an organizational chart with 3 levels.
	Insert the organizational chart with 3 levels into the presentation.
3.5	Go to the Tab → Templates → Standard. Insert an image slide with 3 blocks.





Content Manager - Edit

The "Edit" screen includes all standard formatting possibilities that MS PowerPoint offers.

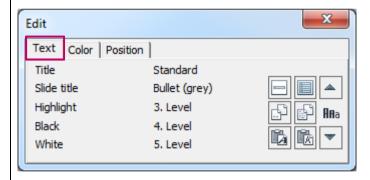
However, they are customized to the ZF Friedrichshafen AG CD. Furthermore, some additional functions are also available to you.

Please keep in mind that you always have to select the texts, text boxes, or objects before you can edit them.

4.1



Click on the "Edit" button in the Corporate Presenter main navigation toolbar. The following Content Manager opens.



Content Manager "Edit" Functions in the "Text" tab:

Title: Sets the font to the size of the title on the title slide

Slide title: Sets the font to the size of the title of the contents slide

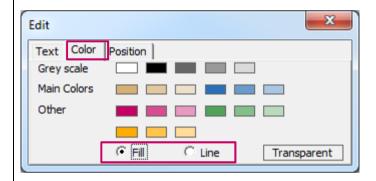
Highlight: The text can be highlighted (blue + bold)

Black: The text is reset to black **White**: The text is reset to white

Levels: You can move the texts to various levels. The bullets are automatically generated from Level 2.

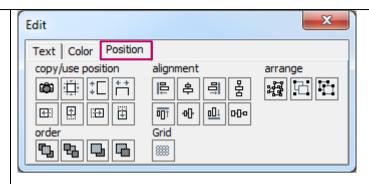
Element	Format
1st level	Arial 14 pt, black, no bulleted list
2nd level	Arial 14 pt, black, bulleted list, square
3rd level	Arial 14 pt, black, bulleted list, dash
4th level	Arial 14 pt, black, bulleted list, dash
5th level	Arial 14 pt, black, bulleted list, dash

Content Manager "Edit" Function in the "Color" tab:



Please highlight the triangle in your "Three Blocks" slide within your presentation and switch to the "Color" tab within the "Edit" window. You can now select another color for the triangle or draw a frame around it by selecting the "Line" checkbox.

Content Manager "Edit" Function in the "Position" tab:

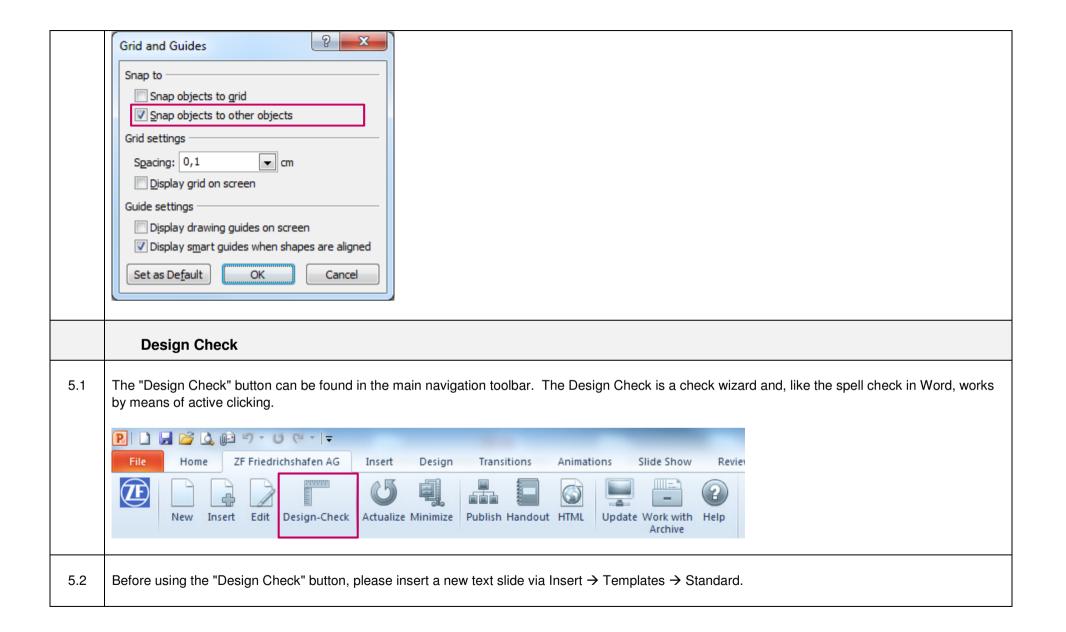


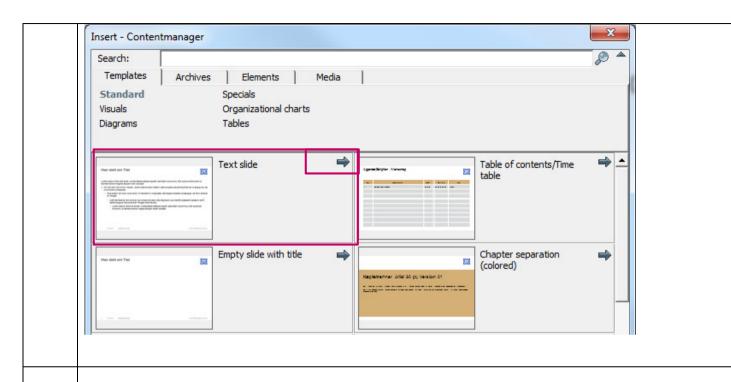
With the "Position" tab, you can copy the position of an element and apply it to other elements via the "**Photo" button**. Using the white square, you can exactly transfer the position and size of the photographed element. You can also only transfer individual position characteristics or just the height and width. Under "**Order**", you can move the individual elements into the foreground or background.

You can align multiple elements with each other via the "Alignment" function. "Arrange" allows you to group individual elements in order to create a single element.

You can display the layout grid by clicking on the "Grid" button. In order to switch on the snap option for the grid, go to "View", then click on the extended options under "Show", and check the "Snap objects to other objects" checkbox.

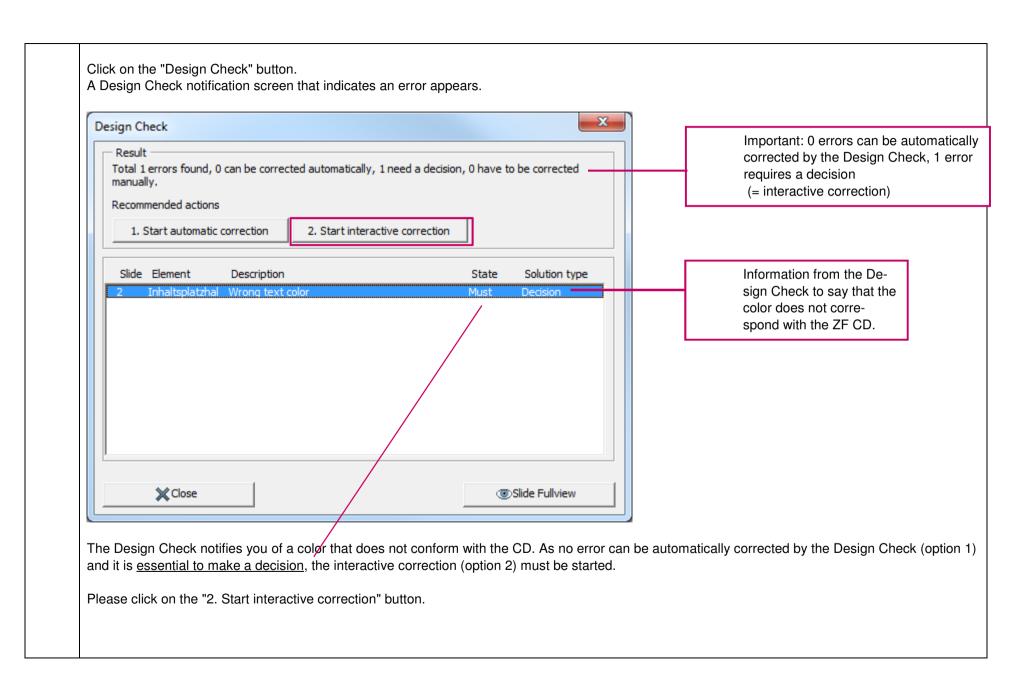






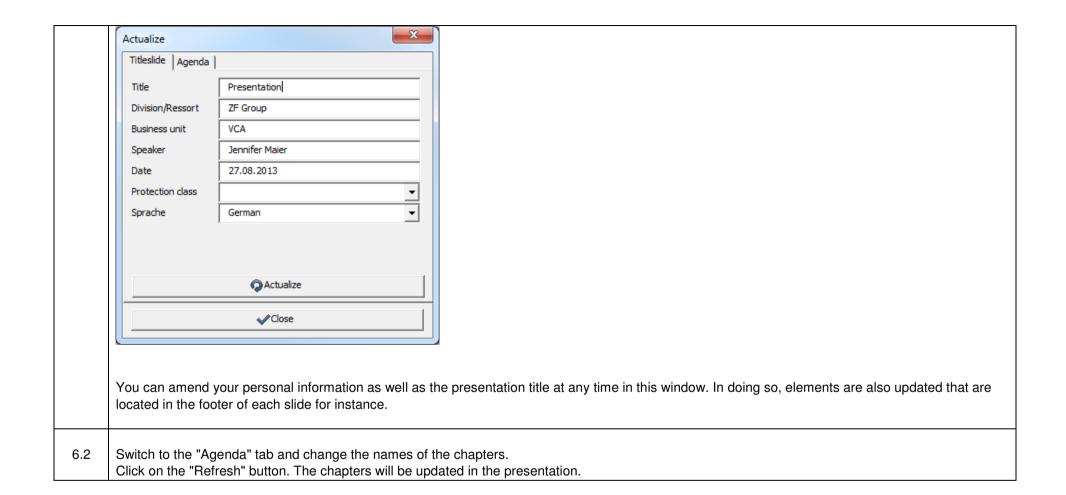
5.3 Enter a random text into the content field of your slide. Highlight the text and change it to a color that is not CD-compliant. (You can use all colors in the PPT via the "Start" tab).

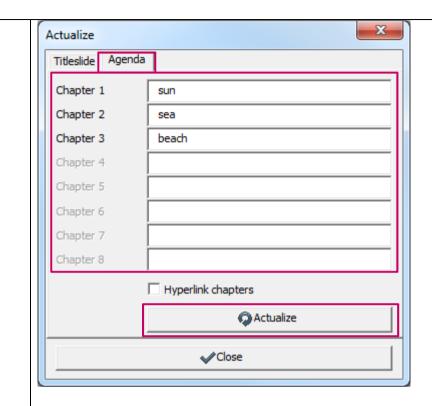




You now need to decide whether you want to have the text as standard text or whether you wish to highlight it. X Design Check Result Total 1 errors found, 0 can be corrected automatically, 1 need a decision, 0 have to be corrected manually. Recommended actions 2. Start interactive correction 1. Start automatic correction Standard = Text, black, normal Slide Element Description State Solution type Highlighted = Text, blue, bold Solution options for current error Info: This text color does not match your corporate colors. Please choose a corporate color. Standard text Highlight **X** Close Slide Fullview Click on the "Standard text" button. The text is now automatically corrected on your slide. (The text on the slide should now be black). Note: After completing the CD check, you will always return to the first slide of your presentation as the CD check always checks the entire presenta-

tion. Refresh The Refresh function assists you in quickly and simply amending the basic data of your presentation. Furthermore, it serves to always keep your presentation up-to-date. Ihre Präsentation immer auf dem aktuellsten Stand zu halten. Please click on the "Refresh" button in the main navigation toolbar. 6.1 P 3 3 6 4 7 5 6 7 7 8 7 7 8 7 7 8 7 7 8 7 7 8 7 7 8 7 ZF Friedrichshafen AG Slide Show Home Insert Design Transitions Animations Review Œ Edit Design-Check Actualize Minimize Publish Handout HTML Update Work with Help Archive The following window appears:



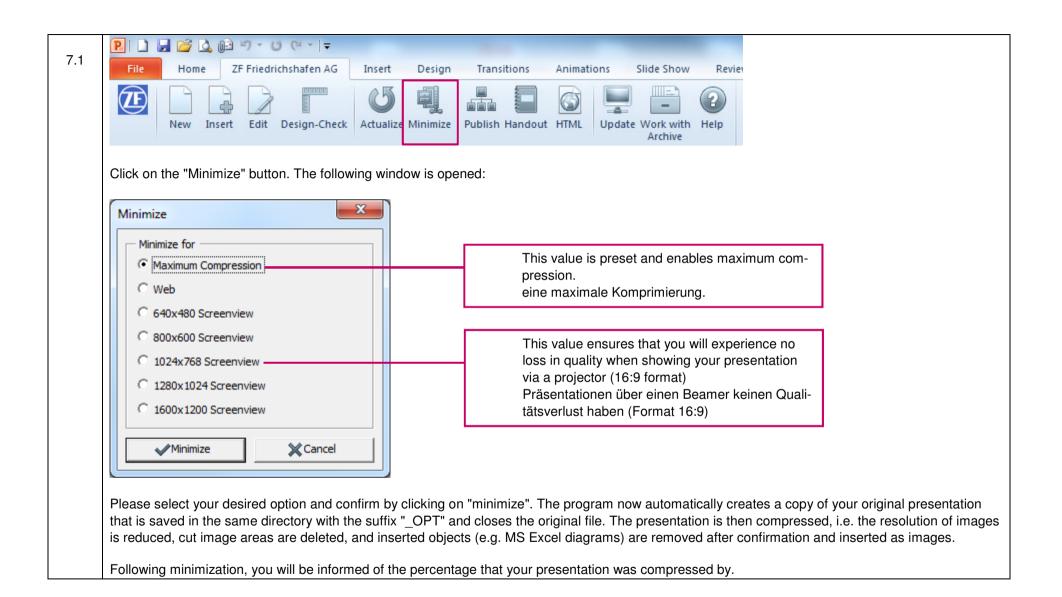


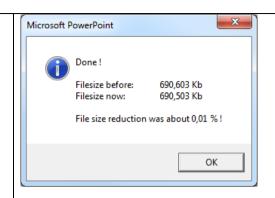
The individual elements in the presentation view are converted into an interactive navigation via the "Hyperlink chapters" option. I.e.: By clicking on an item in the agenda or the chapter separation slides, you will automatically jump to the respective chapter.

Then close the window.

Minimize

Inserted images, MS Excel diagrams, videos, and other elements can significantly increase the memory requirements of presentations. The file size must be reduced depending upon what is to be done with the presentation.





Note: The minimization is based upon the standard PowerPoint functions. In some cases, the presentations have already been compressed as much as possible and additional compressing with the Corporate Presenter has a minor effect.

Publish

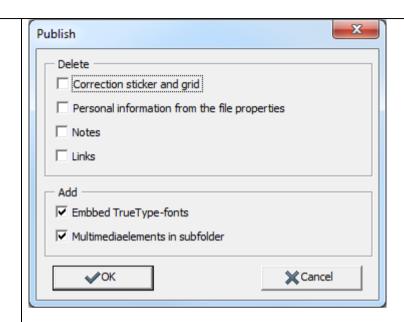
This function prepares your presentation for "Publication" (e.g. forwarding to third parties or acceptance into an archive).

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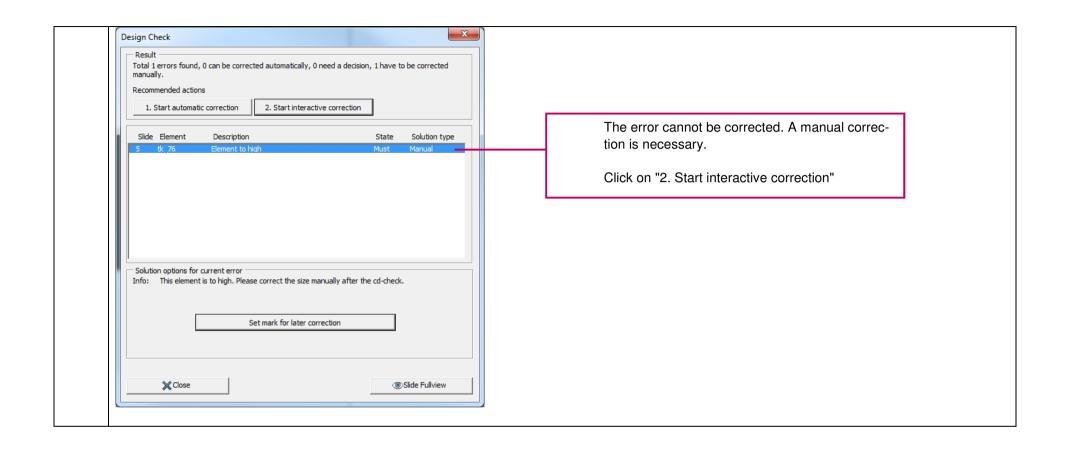
Switch to the "Publish" button in the main navigation.

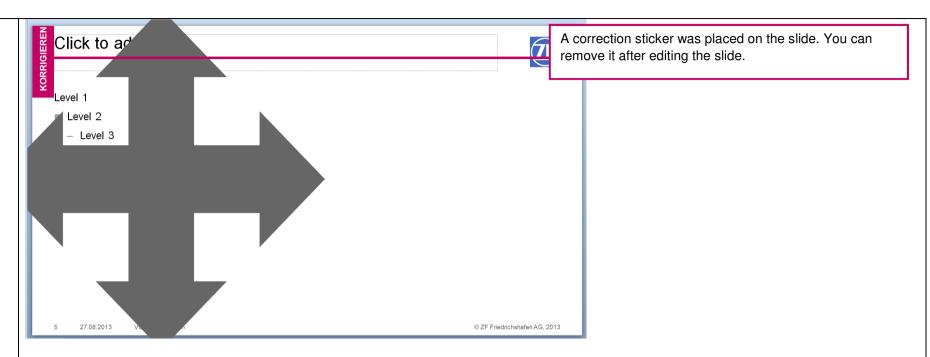
The following window appears:



Correction sticker and grid: Removes all correction stickers and inserted grids from the presentation. Correction stickers are information texts that, depending upon the circumstance, are inserted whilst a design check is carried out. These correction stickers are intended to remind you that you need to perform a manual correction of the slide.

Example: Excessively large element on the slide





Personal information: Removes the personal information that is displayed to you under "Properties".

Notes: Removes the notes from the notes view that are often misused as "Editing history".

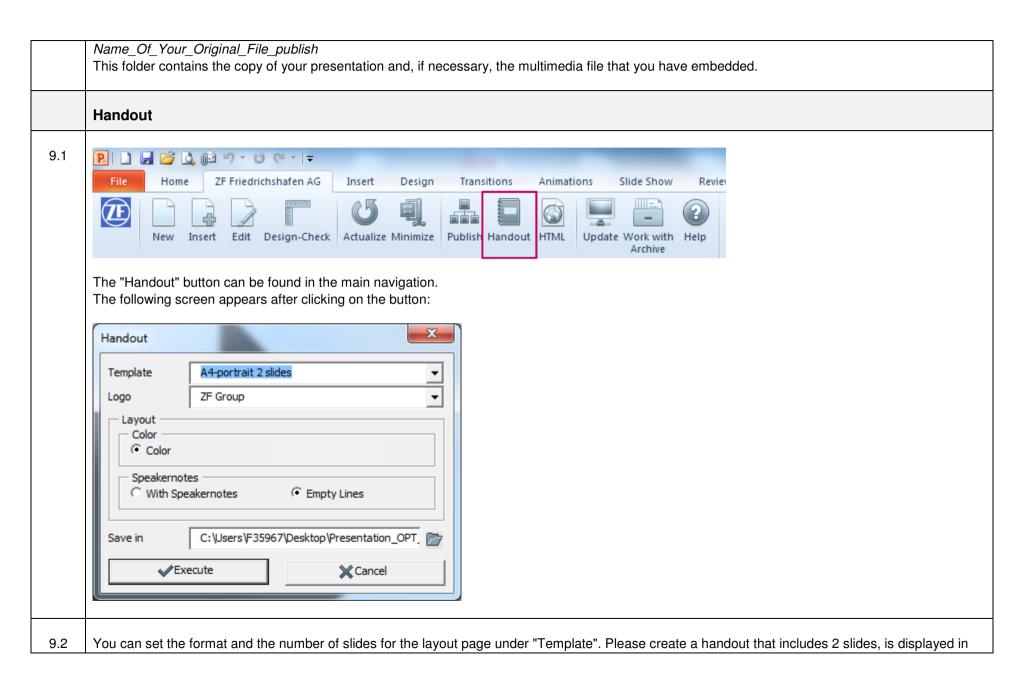
Links: Removes links (e.g. the link to embedded MS Excel diagrams). The elements are then inserted as an image and cannot be automatically updated any longer. (Hyperlinks are not links and are therefore not removed).

Embed TrueType fonts: If the ZF corporate fonts were used (e.g. in an inserted table), they are automatically embedded.

Multimedia elements in subfolder: If you incorporate audio or video files in your presentation, the files are not actually incorporated in your presentation. In order to be played on another computer, these files must be saved in the same folder as the presentation. However, this is done automatically via this function.

Now select the points that you wish to remove and/or add.

Click on "OK". A copy of your presentation with the selected options is saved. At this point, the following folder will be created in the index in which your original is located:



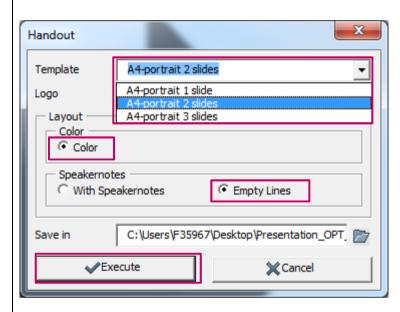
color, and includes blank lines for writing down own notes.

Template → A4 portrait, 2 slides

Layout → Color

Notes → With empty lines

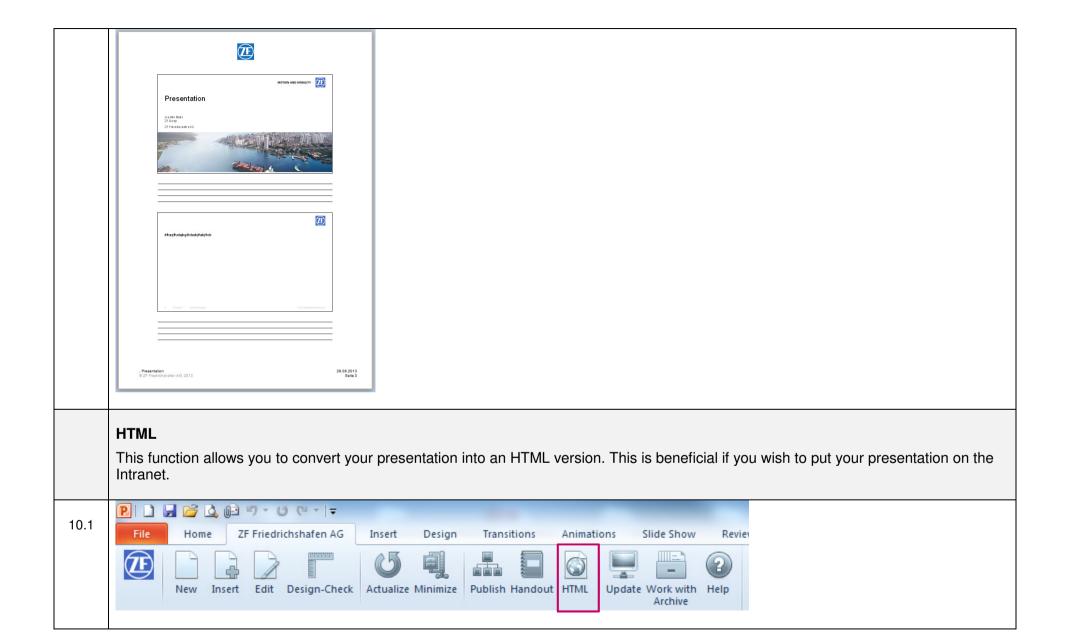
Start

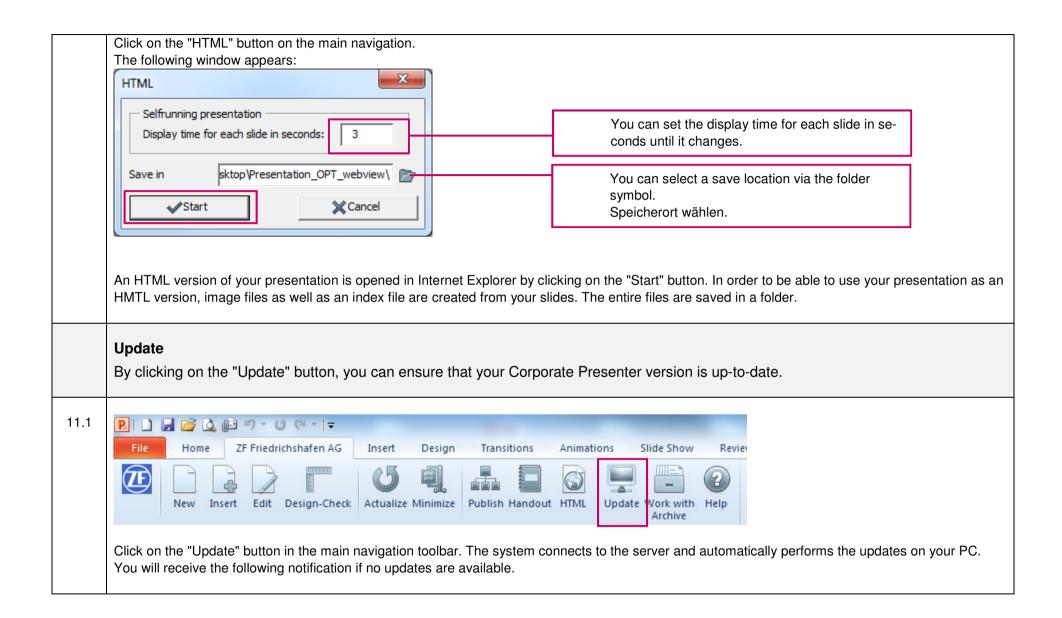


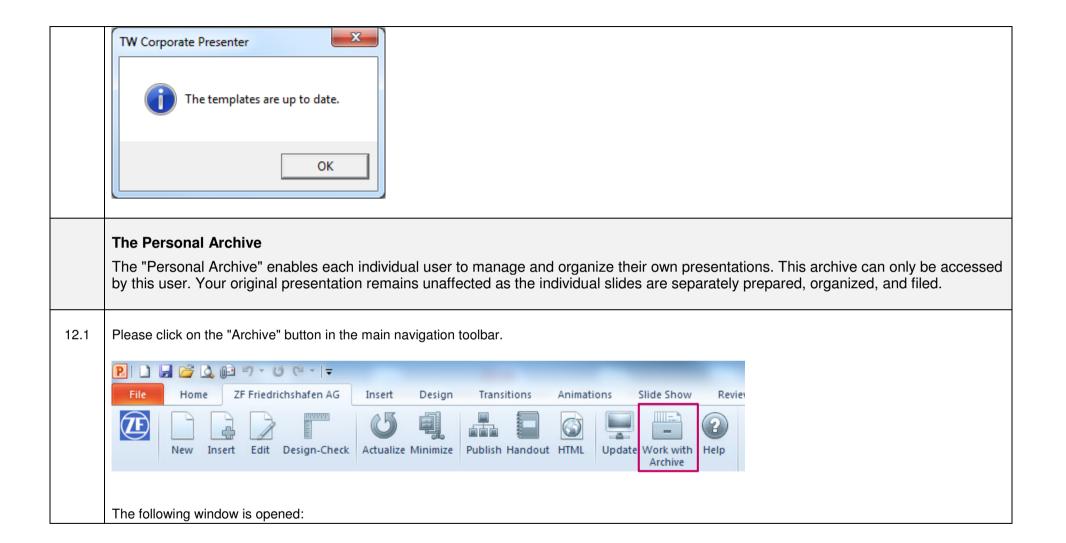
Your handout is created by clicking on the "Start" button.

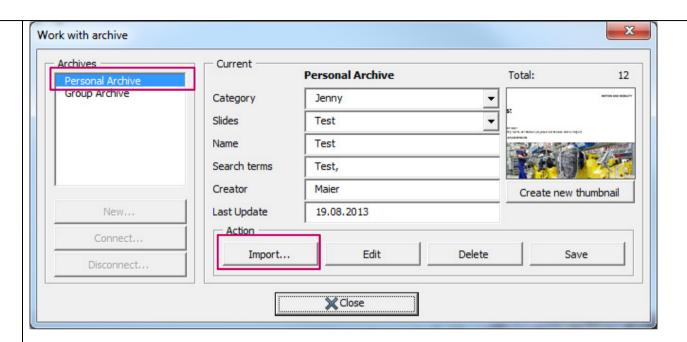
Note: The handout opens as a full screen in MS Word and contains a title page, a table of contents, and the slide pages.

This is what your finished handout should look like (slide page, A4 portrait, 2 slides template):

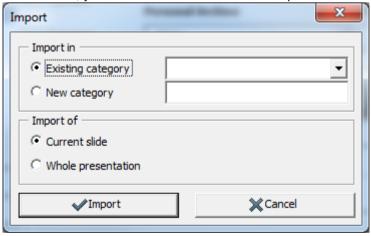






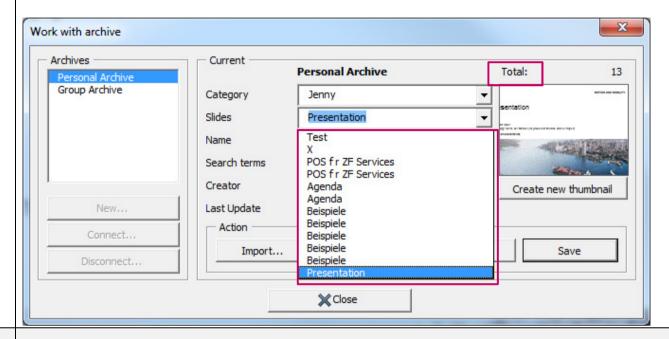


Select "Personal Archive" and click on "Import". Within the following window, you can select an existing category or create a new category. Furthermore, you can decide whether the entire presentation or just the current slide should be imported.



Confirm by selecting "Import".

The slides are imported into the archive and can be viewed by the drop down box or by clicking through the preview.



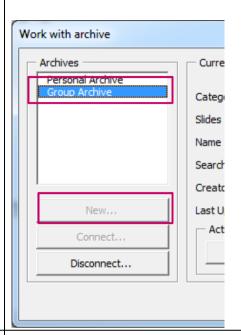
The Group Archive

The procedure regarding the organization and management of the Group Archive is essentially the same as with the "Personal Archive". However, before you use a Group Archive, you need to create it first or connect to an existing archive (share).

13.1 1. Creating a Group Archive

Click on the "Archive" button. The familiar window opens. Now select "Group Archive" and click on "New".





In the file selection dialog that subsequently appears, select a network drive to which all participating colleagues have read and write access. Create a new folder there with the name "Group Archive" for instance. Then click on "Save". The Group Archive has been created.

Now, you only need to inform your colleagues of the path and fill the Group Archive with contents similar to the "Personal Archive".

13.2 2. Joining a Group Archive

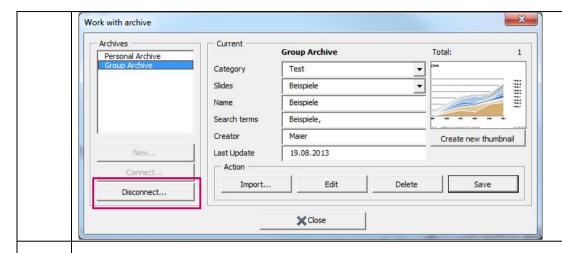
Click on the "Archive" button.

The familiar window opens. Please select a "Group Archive" and click on "Connect".

In the file selection dialog that subsequently appears, select the path that you obtained from your colleague. Then click on "Save".

You are now connected to the "Group Archive".

Note: You can only connect to one Group Archive. If you wish to connect to a different archive, you must "Disconnect" the connection to the other archive.



13.3 **3. Inserting a Complete Presentation**

If you wish to use a complete presentation from an archive (e.g. a corporate presentation from the Company Archive), please proceed as follows:

- Create a new presentation or allocate your layout to a PowerPoint standard slide.
- At the end, insert the entire presentation from the archive.
- Delete the first slide/s that does/do not belong to the presentation.

This procedure is particularly essential when dealing with presentations with internal links as they will no longer function correctly otherwise.

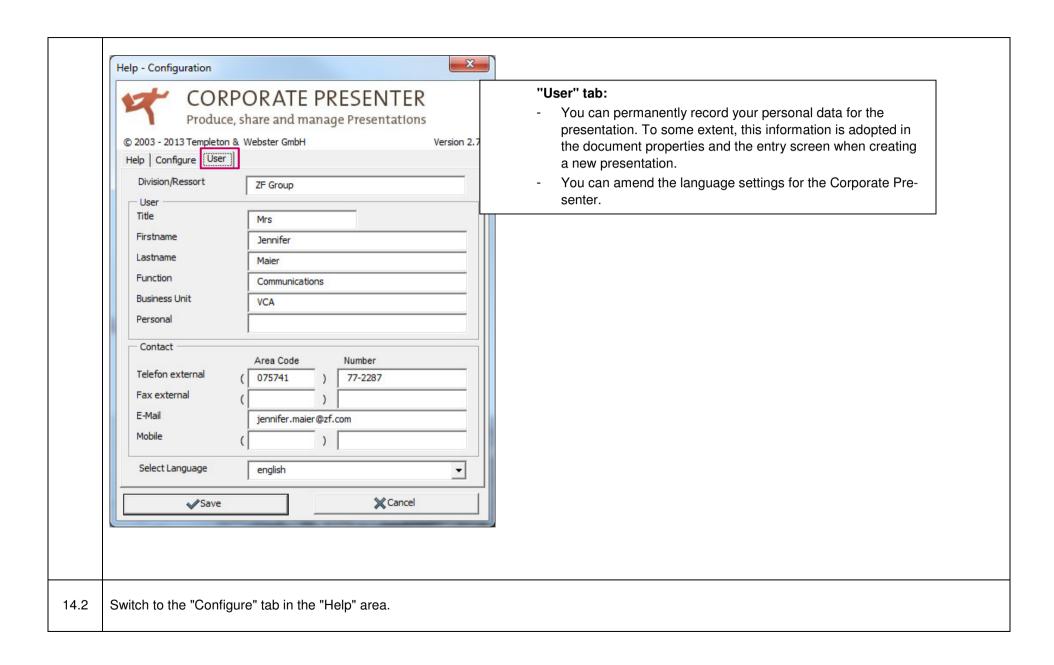
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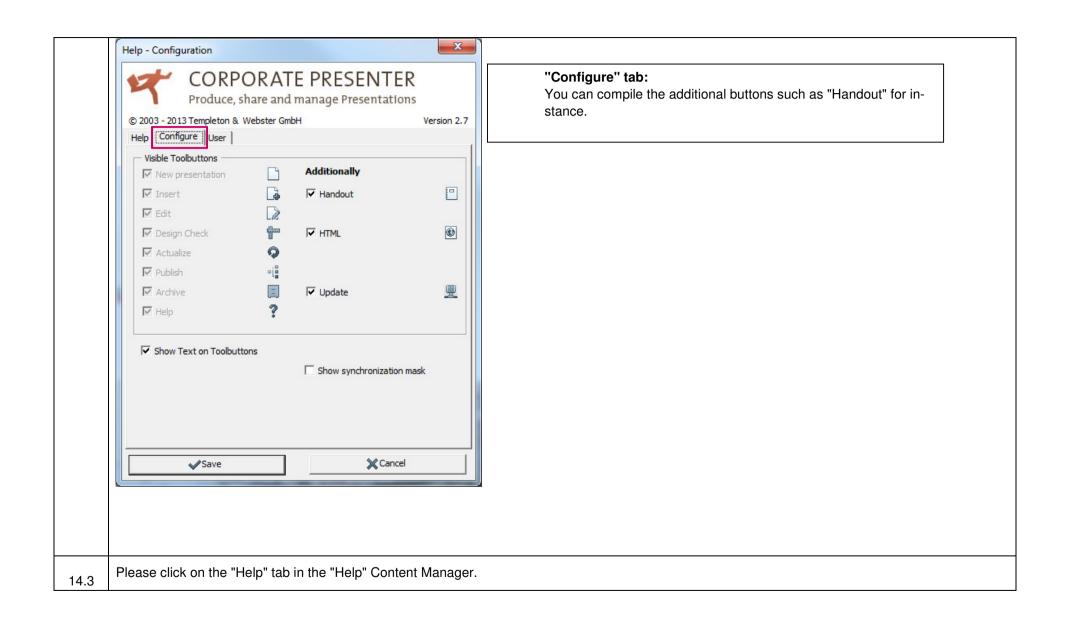
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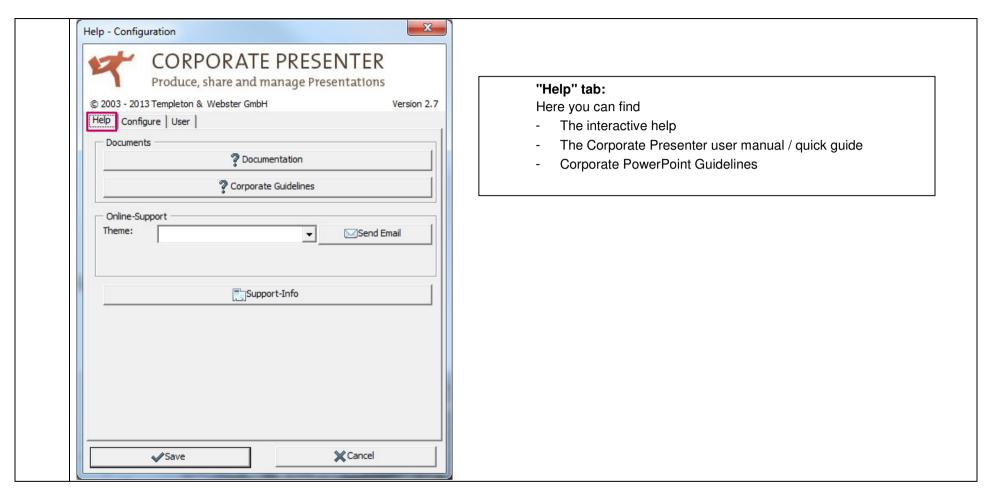


Click on the "Help" button.

The following screen appears:







For further information, please go

- to the POS Intranet page: http://www.zf-world.com/POS_EN/
- in the Corporate Presenter "Help" section

The POS project team hopes that you will enjoy working with the Corporate Presenter and the new ZF slide master layout.